

United States population and fulfill commitments of the United States to prevent human infectious diseases in other countries.

(6) DISTRIBUTION AND USE OF VACCINES.--The Director of the Program shall, through the plan issued under section 2103, coordinate and provide direction to the Centers for Disease Control and assistance to the States, localities, and health practitioners in the distribution and use of vaccines, including efforts to encourage public acceptance of immunizations and make health practitioners and the public aware of potential adverse reactions and contradictions to vaccines.

(7) EVALUATING THE NEED FOR AND THE EFFECTIVENESS ADVERSE EFFECTS OF VACCINES AND IMMUNIZATION ACTIVITIES.--The Director of the Program shall, through the plan issued under section 2103, coordinate and provide direction to the National Institutes of Health, the Centers for Disease Control, the Office of Biologics Research and Review of the Food and Drug Administration, the National Center for Health Statistics, the National Center for Health Services Research and Health Care Technology Assessment, and the Health Care Financing Administration in monitoring the need for and the effectiveness and adverse effects of vaccines and immunization activities.

(8) COORDINATING GOVERNMENTAL AND NON-GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES.--The Director of the Program shall, through the plan issued under section 2103, provide for the exchange of information between Federal agencies involved in the implementation of the Program and the non-governmental entities engaged in the development and production of vaccines and in vaccine research and encourage the investment of non-governmental resources complementary to the governmental activities under the Program.

(9) FUNDING OF FEDERAL AGENCIES.--The Director of the Program shall make available to Federal agencies involved in the implementation of the plan issued under section 2103 funds appropriated under section 2106 to supplement the funds otherwise available to such agencies for activities under the plan.

(b) In carrying out subsection (a) and in preparing the plan under section 2103, the Director shall consult with all Federal agencies involved in research on and development, testing, licensing, production, procurement, distribution, and use of vaccines.

PLAN

SEC. 2103. [300aa-3] The Director of the program shall prepare and issue a plan for the implementation of the responsibilities of the Director under section 2102. The plan shall establish priorities in research and the development, testing, licensing, production, procurement, distribution, and effective use of vaccines, describe an optimal use of resources to carry out such priorities,

and describe how each of the various departments and agencies will carry out their functions in consultation and coordination with the Program and in conformity with such priorities. The first plan under this section shall be prepared not later than January 1, 1987, and shall be revised not later than January 1 of each succeeding year.

REPORT

SEC. 2104. [300aa-4] The Director shall report to the Committee on Energy and Commerce of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Labor and Human Resources of the Senate not later than January 1, 1988, and annually thereafter on the implementation of the Program and the plan prepared under section 2103.

NATIONAL VACCINE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

SEC. 2105. [300aa-5] (a) There is established the National Vaccine Advisory Committee. The Members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Director of the Program, in consultation with the National Academy of Sciences, from among individuals who are engaged in vaccine research or the manufacture of vaccines or who are physicians, members of parent organizations concerned with immunization, or representatives of State or local health agencies or public health organizations.

(b) The Committee shall--